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Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 Twelfth Street, SW
Washington, DC 20554

Re: Connect America Fund, WC Docket No. 10-90

Dear Ms. Dortch:

The *Alaska Communications CAF II Order* in the above-reference docket¹ requires Alaska Communications to deploy qualifying broadband service to a total of 31,571 unserved locations in census blocks deemed eligible by the Commission. The *Order* also permits that up to 7,900 of those locations may be in partially-served census blocks if, after a challenge process, and based on recently available 477 data, the targeted locations are determined to be, in fact, unserved.² Alaska Communications must submit a geocoded list of its proposed locations in partially-served census blocks “as soon as possible, but no later than October 1, 2018, along with certification of notice filed on any carrier that reports service in the relevant census block according to the most recent FCC Form 477 data available at that time, the Regulatory Commission of Alaska, and any relevant Tribal government.”³

On December 28, 2017, Alaska Communications filed in WC Docket No. 14-93, the required geocoded information, with census block identification, for 6,056 locations (the list include 4,762 unique sets of coordinates because a number of locations are in multi-unit buildings).⁴ We are awaiting a decision from the Wireline Competition Bureau on those locations.

¹ *Connect America Fund, WC Docket No. 10-90, Order, 31 FCC Rcd 12086 (2016) (the “Alaska Communications CAF II Order”).*

² *Id.* ¶132.

³ *Id.* ¶136.

⁴ *Wireline Competition Bureau Commences Alaska Communications Systems Connect America Fund Phase II Challenge Process, Public Notice, WC Docket No. 10-90 (DA 18-92, rel. Feb. 5, 2018).*

Today, Alaska Communications files the required geocoded information, with census block identification, for 4,691 additional unserved locations in partially-served high-cost census blocks, located at 3,252 unique pairs of lat/long coordinates (some customer locations are multi-unit dwellings). Also today, Alaska Communications provided a courtesy copy of that same filing to the Wireline Competition Bureau, as advised in the *Order*,⁵ to the attention of Alexander Minard, Deputy Chief, Telecommunications Access Policy Division.

On behalf of Alaska Communications, I certify that notice of this filing is hereby being provided to each carrier that reported service in the relevant census blocks according to the most recent FCC Form 477 data available on December 28, 2017. I further certify that notice has been provided to the Regulatory Commission of Alaska and relevant Tribal governments.

Please direct any questions concerning this matter to me.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Ruth L. Willard", written in dark ink.

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cc: John Nakahata, Counsel for General Communication, Inc.

⁵ *Alaska Communications CAF II Order* ¶36.